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CO. TO GET \$11,000 MORTGAGE FEE

M. C. R. R. TO RECORD MORTGAGE FEES AMOUNT TO \$22,000.

Will Swell Treasury Fund, and Probably Be Used in Road Fund.

Detroit, Mich.
May 10, 1922.

Mr. O. P. Schuman,
Grayling, Mich.

My dear Schumann:

I have some news which I know

that will be pleasing to you and to

the readers of the Avalanche.

You will recall that some years ago the Michigan Central Railroad Co., recorded a refunding mortgage in Crawford County, and because it was first recorded in Crawford, the county received one-half of the five mills tax.

Whenever additional bonds are issued under the mortgage, the tax must be paid upon such issue and goes to Crawford County.

The attorneys for the Railroad Co. had a hearing before the tax commission this week, and determination was made by the commission in accordance with the petition of the Railroad Company under which they will pay into the Crawford County Treasury a little over \$22,000. One-half of which sum will be retained by the County and the balance remitted to the State Treasurer.

As I have stated the County may reasonably expect to receive further sums under this mortgage from time to time, as the company issue bonds.

Very truly yours,

Orlando F. Barnes.

The county is indebted to Mr. Barnes largely for inducing the Michigan Central Railroad company to record the original refunding mortgage in Crawford county, which netted our county \$12,000 at the time. Now we are to receive as the above letter states, an additional fund of \$11,000 for additional recording, and the prospects are good that there will be further fees coming into our treasury at intervals. This is indeed glad news to the tax payers of Crawford county. (Ed.)

PROGRAM OF BAND CONCERT.

March, El Capitan—Sousa,
Song, "Aint We Got Fun?" —R. A. Whiting.

Forge in the Forest—Theo. Michaelis.
Overture, "Maryland"—Fred Fuhrer.

March, "The Sequel"—G. E. Jennings.

Overture, "American Legion"—Skaggs.

March, "Semper Fidelis"—Sousa.

Overture, "The Band Man's Delight"—Skaggs.

Oriental Two Step, "Jungle Queen"—Barnard.

Star Spangled Banner.

Good-night.—Ed. G. Clark, Band Master.

ACCOUNTS DUE RAILROAD STORE.

All accounts due the Railway Mens Union Co-Operative Association are payable to R. N. Martin and J. L. Martin. Phone 1024 or 7L 5-11-2.

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Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. BAILEY
County Agricultural Agent

Our Experiment Farm.

All interested in progressive agriculture will be glad to know that Crawford County Experiment Farm will be operated this year, along the general lines laid out last year by Professor M. M. McCool, professor of soils, Michigan Agricultural College.

The professor inspected the farm last fall, and was very complimentary in his comments.

He was up again last Friday. The County Agent being busy unloading a car of agricultural limestone at Horrigan Switch, Supervisor M. A. Bates, just as he did a year ago, piloted the professor and Mr. Marius Hanson over the farm.

All were pleased with the results shown by vetch, clover, sweet clover and alfalfa when sown on soil treated with lime. In his enthusiasm the professor made it possible for us to do some things on the farm which we will divulge later, hoping that it will be an agreeable surprise.

Agricultural Limestone.

Besides putting in two busy days unloading pulverized limestone at Horrigan Switch, where a group of progressive farmers found it most convenient to unload, we unloaded another car at the Military Reservation Switch.

A third car of demonstration limestone will be distributed, two tons to a farmer, Wednesday, at Frederic; Thursday at Grayling; Saturday at Roscommon.

The twenty farmers who are to receive this lime are already designated. In all, about 40 farmers in our County will use lime this year. St. Joseph County used 130 cars last year.

Timely Dope on Potatoes.

Our farmers will very soon be planting potatoes.

Why do they labor and get small yields?

Several factors help increase yields. Why not use some of these better methods and get more potatoes from fewer acres?

Your county agent, with others from the potato area of Michigan, was called to Cadillac recently to be instructed in the latest and best practices of the best potato growers.

We were told that three years experiments at the Upper Peninsula Experiment Station showed an average gain of 50 bushels of potatoes per acre if seed were treated with Corrosive Sublimate Solution. While for maldehyde solution kills scab, Corrosive Sublimate Solution kills germs of scab and of black leg and black scurf.

Scab makes potatoes unsalable, and black leg and black scurf greatly reduce yield by keeping potatoes from "setting," or "bottoming out" into anything bigger than small grapes or marbles.

Nearly every farmer here probably has black scurf on his potatoes. The indications are small groups of small dots, like freckles, on the skin of the potato.

It's folly to plant such potatoes without treating the seed.

The increased yield of 40 to 50 bushels per acre pays big for the trifling expense and work of treating.

This is the Way.

Buy 4 ounces of Corrosive Sublimate for fifty cents.

Dissolve it in some discarded dish in a pint of hot water.

Pour this into a barrel containing

30 gallons of water.

Put bag of uncut seed potatoes into this water.

Leave 30 minutes—no longer.

Lift sack out. Let drain.

Spread potatoes out to dry; then cut them.

These seed potatoes are poisoned.

Don't let stock eat them.

Do not let chickens or other stock drink any of the solution. It is poison.

Use solution 4 times. After that add one ounce Corrosive Sublimate to solution for each batch seed soaked.

Never leave treated seed in bags.

KOBELSKI-WOODS.

A pretty wedding ceremony took place at St. Mary's church Monday morning at nine o'clock, when Miss Besie Woods, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Woods was united in marriage to Mr. John Kobelski of Gaylord, Rev. Fr. A. O. Boles officiating. Miss Sara Kobelski, sister of the groom and Miss Jenny Nowak, both of Gaylord acted as bridesmaids, while Messrs Elmer and Rolla Woods, brothers of the bride, attended the grooms.

The bride looked very becoming in white satin, and bridal veil, and carried a beautiful bouquet of spring flowers. The bridesmaids were dressed in pink and blue organza with picture hats to match. The altar of St. Mary's church were pretty with large vases of cherry blossoms.

A large reception was held at the home of the bride's parents Monday evening, dinner being served to about 100 guests.

Those from out-of-town who were in attendance at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. George Kobelski, parents of the groom, of Gaylord; Mr. and Mrs. John Rorack, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rorack, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kobelski, Misses Sara Kobelski and Jenny Nowak, Messrs William, Vincent and Markus Rorack, Merrill Miller, Joseph Gannon and Arley Hanckley all of Gaylord; Mrs. Mary Kalarney of Riverview; Mrs. Martin Finerty and daughter of Johannesburg and Mrs. Rhusette of Standish. The town guests other than the relatives included Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ziebell, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hanselman, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Kornosky, Mrs. John Billings, and Mrs. Arthur Wager.

Mr. and Mrs. Kobelski expect to make their home in Gaylord, where the groom owns a fine farm. They have the best wishes of their friends.

crates or piles over night. If you do, many of them may not grow.

No Gains Without Pains.

Why not take pride, real pride, in that block of potatoes this year, and do things right?

That means: carefully select the seed to get only ideal ones. (Your seed should have been hill selected last fall.)

Then treat this selected seed.

While cutting them, after treating, clip off a quarter of an inch of the stem end to look for Fusarium Wilt.

Fusarium Wilt greatly reduces yield.

There is no known solution to soak potatoes in to kill it.

The only way to find it is to clip off the stem end and look for brownish-yellow ring in the white flesh of the potato.

If such ring is there it is a sign of germs of Fusarium Wilt in that potato, and you waste your time planting it.

Let's do things right on our potatoes for once.

Franklin was right when he said that people are taxed more by their own ignorance and shiftlessness than by the government.

Please drop into the office and let's talk potatoes for a while, and look at pictures of these diseases, and the damage they do.

"Forewarned is forearmed," you know.

SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS.

GRADUATION AT FREDERIC

MAY 26.

The commencement exercises of the Frederic school will be held next week

Friday, May 26. The baccalaureate

ceremony will be preached by Rev. C. E.

Duty of Grayling next Sunday, May 27. He will be assisted by Rev.

Terhune of Frederic.

Following is the program for com-

mencement:

Program:

Salutatory—Miss Viola Hunter.

Class History—Mr. Max Tobin.

Class Prophecy—Miss Genevieve Hunter.

Class Will—Mr. Chester Burke.

Class Poem—Mr. Eldo Johnson.

Valentines—Mr. Teddy Callahan.

Music will be furnished by local talent.

The commencement address will be given by Rev. Edgar R. Cockrum, pas-

tor of the First Congregational

church of Lowell. His subject will

be "Schooling vs. Education." He

was chaplain of the U. S. Army dur-

ing the late war.

Mr. Cockrum is a forceful speaker

and has a pleasing personality and

we are sure that all who hear him will be well pleased.

BRING YOUR HAMMER AND SAW.

March.

On behalf of the Grayling City

Base Ball Team, allow me to thank

every good loyal sport of Gray-

ling who has helped and donated

their work and material so far on

the ball grounds. I would like to

ask a few men that can handle a

hammer and saw to come out to the

park to donate their services for a

couple of hours. Bring your saws and

hammers. Mike Bremer.

Mgr.

Call read by the clerk as follows:

Grayling, Mich.

Feb. 28th, 1922.

To the County Clerk:

Sir:

You are herewith requested to call

a special session of the Board of

Supervisors of said Crawford County

to be held at the Court House in the

village of Grayling on Wednesday

the 15th day of March, 1922 at one

o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

Said meeting is called for the pur-

pose of transacting such general busi-

THE INDIAN DRUM

By William MacHarg and Edwin Balmer

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"CORVET'S SON!"

SYNOPSIS.—Wealthy and highly placed in the Chicago business world, Benjamin Corvet is something of a recluse and a mystery to his associates. After a stormy interview with his partner, Henry Spearman, Corvet seeks Constance Sherrill, daughter of another business partner, Lawrence Sherrill, and secures from her a promise not to marry Spearman. He then disappears. Sherrill learns Corvet has written to a certain Alan Conrad, in Blue Rapids, Kansas, and exhibits strange agitation over the name "Corvet." Later summer Conrad, a youth of unknown parentage, to Chicago. Alan arrives in Chicago.

CHAPTER III—Continued.

She, he saw, was listening like himself, for the sound of Sherrill's arrival at the house; and when it came she recognized it first, rose, and excused herself. He heard her voice in the hall, then her father's deeper voice which answered; and ten minutes later, he looked up to see the man these things had told him must be Sherrill standing in the door and looking at him.

Alan had arisen at sight of him; Sherrill, as he came in, motioned him back to his seat; he did not sit down himself, but crossed to the mantel and leaned against it.

"I am Lawrence Sherrill," he said.

As the tall, graceful, thoughtful man stood looking down at him, Alan could tell nothing of the attitude of this friend of Benjamin Corvet toward himself. His manner had the same reserve toward Alan, the same questioning consideration of him that Constance Sherrill had had after Alan had told her about himself.

"My daughter has repeated to me what you told her, Mr. Conrad," Sherrill observed. "Is there anything you want to add to me regarding that?"

"There's nothing I can add," Alan answered. "I told her all that I know about myself."

"And about Mr. Corvet?"

"I know nothing at all about Mr. Corvet."

"I am going to tell you some things about Mr. Corvet," Sherrill said. "I had reason—I do not want to explain just yet what that reason was—for thinning you could tell us certain things about Mr. Corvet, which would, perhaps, make plainer what had happened to him. When I tell you about him now, it is in the hope that, in that way, I may awake some forgotten memory of him in you; if not that, you may discover some coincidence of dates or events in Corvet's life with dates of events in your own. Will you tell me frankly if you do discover anything like that?"

"Yes, certainly."

For several moments Sherrill paced up and down before the fire, then he returned to his place before the mantel.

"I first met Benjamin Corvet," he commenced, "nearly thirty years ago. I had come West for the first time the year before—I was about your own age and had been graduated from college only a short time; and a business opening had offered itself here. Times were booming on the Great Lakes. Chicago, which had more than recovered from the fire, was doubling its population every decade; Cleveland, Duluth, and Milwaukee were leaping up as ports. Men were growing millions of bushels of grain which they couldn't ship except by lake; hundreds of thousands of tons of ore had to go by water; and there were tens of millions of feet of pine and hardwood from the Michigan forests. Sailing vessels, it is true, had seen their day and were disappearing from the lakes; were being 'sold' many of them, as the saying is; to the insurance companies by deliberate wrecking. Steamers were taking their place. Towing had come in. I felt, young man though I was, that this transportation matter was all one thing, and that in the end the railroads would own the ships. I have never engaged very actively in the operation of the ships; my daughter would like me to be more active in it than I have been; but ever since, I have had money in lake vessels. It was the year that I began that sort of investment that I first met Corvet."

Alan looked up quickly: "Mr. Corvet was—?" he asked.

"Corvet was—a lakeman," Sherrill said.

Alan sat motionless, as he recollects the strange exaltation that had come to him when he saw the lake for the first time. Should he tell Sherrill of that? He decided it was too vague, too indefinite to be mentioned; no doubt any other man used only to the prairie might have felt the same.

"He was a shipowner, then," he said.

"Yes; he was a shipowner—not, however, on a large scale at that time. He had been a master, sailing ships which belonged to others; then he had sailed one of his own. He was operating then, I believe, two vessels; but with the boom times on the lakes, his interests were beginning to expand. I met him frequently in the next few years, and we became close friends."

Sherrill broke off and stared an instant down at the rug. Alan bent forward; he made no interruption but only watched Sherrill attentively.

"Between 1888, when I first met him, and 1895, Corvet laid the foundation of his fortune. His boats seemed lucky. He seemed to work for him, and he had no crew. There was a storm a Corvet was lost, but he was not lost. It says it: 'He was lost for years—no Corvet'

ship had suffered serious disaster. Corvet was not yet rich, but unless accident or undue competition intervened, he was certain to become so. Then something happened."

Sherrill looked away at evident loss how to describe it.

"To the ships?" Alan asked him.

"No; to him. In 1890, for no apparent reason, a great change came over him."

"In 1890?"

"That was the year."

Alan bent forward, his heart throbbed in his throat. "That was also the year when I was brought and left with the Weltons in Kansas," he said.

Sherrill did not speak for moment. "I thought," he said finally, "it must have been about that time, but you did not tell my daughter the exact date."

"What kind of change came over him that year?" Alan asked.

Sherrill gazed down at the rug, then at Alan, then past him. "A change in his way of living," he replied. "The Corvet line of boats went on, expanded; interests were acquired in other times; and Corvet and those allied with him swiftly grew rich. But in all this great development, for which Corvet's genius and ability had laid the foundation, Corvet himself seemed to take active part. He took into partnership, about a year later, Henry Spearman, a young man who had been merely a mate on one of his ships. This proved subsequently to have been a good business move, for Spearman had tremendous energy, daring, and enterprise; and no doubt Corvet had recognized these qualities in him before others did. Since then he has been ostensibly and publicly the head of the concern, but he has left the management almost entirely to Spearman. The personal change to Corvet at that time is harder to consider, and to decide that it was necessary to say anything more on that subject."

"Is there anything in what I have told you which makes it possible for you to recollect or to explain?"

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Sherrill drew one of the large chairs nearer to Alan and sat down facing him. He felt in an inner pocket and brought out an envelope; from the envelope he took three pictures, and handed the smallest of them to Alan. As Alan took it, he saw that it was a tintype of himself as a round-faced boy of seven.

"That is you?" Sherrill asked.

"Yes; it was taken by the photographer in Blue Rapids."

"And this?"

The second picture, Alan saw, was one that had been taken in front of the barn at the farm. It showed Alan at twelve, in overalls and barefooted, holding a stick over his head at which a sheepdog was jumping.

"Yes, that is Alan and I, Mr. Sherrill. It was taken by a man who stopped at the house for dinner one day; he liked Alan and wanted a picture of him, so he got me to make Sheep Jump, and he took it."

"Doesn't it occur to you that it was your picture he wanted, and that he had been sent to get it? I wanted your verification that these earlier pictures were of you, but this last one is easily recognizable."

Sherrill unfolded the third picture; it was larger than the others and had been folded across the middle to get it into the envelope. Alan leaned forward to look at it.

"That is the University of Kansas football team," he said. "I am the second one in the front row; I played on my junior year and tackle when I was a senior. Mr. Corvet?"

Sherrill nodded; he did not seem surprised to hear this; rather it appeared to be confirmation of something in his own thought.

"Following his wife's leaving him," Sherrill went on, "Corvet saw very little of any one. He spent most of his time in his own house, occasionally he launched at his club, at rare intervals, and always unexpectedly, he appeared at his office. I remember that summer he was terribly disturbed because one of his ships was lost. The Corvet record was broken; a Corvet ship had appealed for help;

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room and knocked. Alan's voice told him to come in. Sherrill went in, and when he had made sure that the servant was not with Alan, he closed the door carefully behind him.

Then he turned back to Alan, and for an instant stood indecisive as though he did not know how to begin what he wanted to say. As he glanced down at a key he took from his pocket, his indecision seemed to receive direction and inspiration from it; and he put it down on Alan's dresser.

"I've brought you," he said evenly, "the key to your house."

Alan gazed at him, bewildered. "The key to my house?"

"To the house on Astor street," Sherrill confirmed. "Your father deeded the house and its furniture and all its contents to you the day before he disappeared. I have not the deed here; it came into my hands the day before yesterday at the same time I got possession of the pictures which might—or might not, for all I knew then—be you. I have the deed downtown, and will give it to you. The house is yours in fee simple, given to you by your father, not bequeathed to you by him to become your property after his death. He meant by that, I think, even more than the mere acknowledgment that he is your father."

Sherrill walked to the window and stood as though looking out, but his eyes were blank with thought.

"For almost twenty years," he said, "your father, as I have told you, lived in that house practically alone; during all those years a shadow of some sort was over him. I don't know if

he was connected with him in any way with herself. I do not think that is so."

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Teacher—Johnny, if you don't have I'll have to send a note to your father.

Johnny—You'd better not. Ma's as jealous as a cat.—American Legion weekly.

If a bad habit hasn't killed a man by the time he is seventy-five, he is pretty sure it won't.

Growing Old Too Soon?

Are you one of those unfortunate folks who finds yourself feeling older than you should? Do you feel lame and stiff mornings; drag through the day with a constantly aching back? Evening finds you utterly worn-out. Your life ends in heavy burdens on the kidneys. They slow up and poison accumulates and upset blood and nerves. Help your weakened kidneys with **DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS**. Doan's has helped thousands and should help you. Ask your neighbor!

A Michigan Case

Geo. Durbin, 202 S. L. St., Ludington, Mich. says: "When I stopped over to see Dr. Doan, he said a kink caught me in my back and I had to put my head down to straighten it. I became dizzy. I couldn't sleep at night. I had to get up three or four times and the secretions were burning in passage and highly colored. I decided to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I took one." Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box.

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
POSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N.Y.

Demure Taffeta Frocks; Consider New Lingerie

FASHION never ignores taffetas—they are too well entrenched in the regard of every woman. Every summer brings demure frocks of this silk, usually in black or navy blue, decked out with simple trimmings and little brightening touches, and every summer they go daintily rustling their lady-like way through the affairs of afternoon. Designers take them for granted and complacently press no such appealing frocks as those of black taffeta, shown here.

It is a silken mode this season, with emphasis put upon simplicity of design and trimmings. But replicas of silk garments, made of sheer, silky cottons, are less expensive and durable for the most exacting taste—while there are still many women who



For Affairs of Afternoon.

Almost any seamstress can undertake to make either of these models. In the frock at the left, yards of little ruffles made of the silk account for all the decoration, cokking the round neck and the elbow sleeves. Ruffles put on in deep points deck out the skirt and this self-trimming reaches its climax in little roses made of folds that are set about the waist.

On dresses of this kind it is easy to introduce any brightening color by means of narrow ribbon rosettes and falling ends, as in the dress at the right. It has a plain skirt scalloped about the bottom and achieves a bouffant line by introducing corded ruffles over the hips. Pippings of taffeta are used as a finish and to join the bodice and skirt. Taffeta

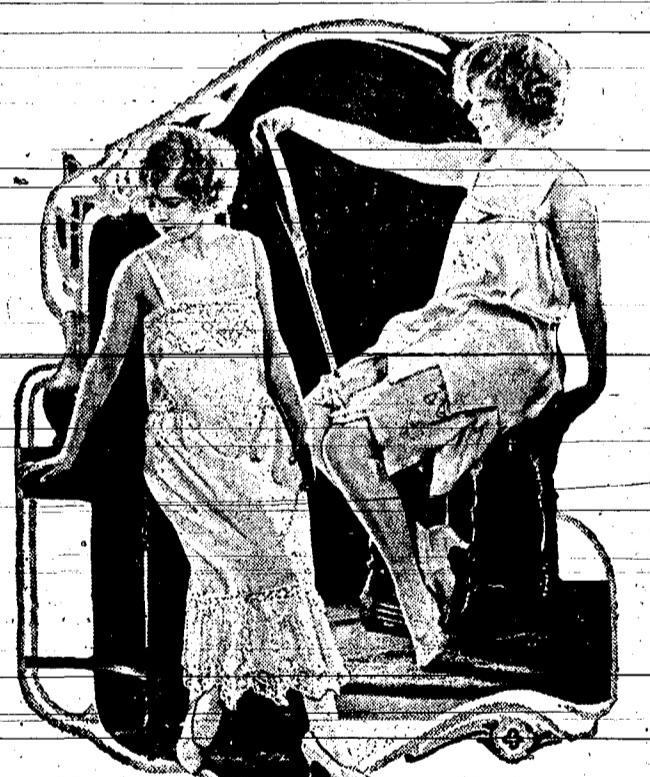
prefer fine batiste, muslin and other cottons above everything else. The garments shown here may be made of crepe de chine or of batiste, using in either case, ribbon shoulder straps.

The underslip—is trimmed with valance and insertion at the top and re-

veals a pointed ruffle at the bottom, panelled by lace insertions.

Step-in drawers of grenadine crepe de chine, with chemise to match, appear with a "taffeta" finish of points instead of the usual lace-trimming.

Among the novelties recently arrived there are bodices of net or radium silk, with vestes of net and fillet, or val lace insertions, which do away with the necessity of a blouse under summer coats. Sheerless nightgowns have deep armholes edged, like their



Latest Ideas in Undergarments.

roses, set across the front, and ribbon, with colored edges, hanging in loops at each side, where the roses terminate, emphasize a front panel effect made by placing most of the fullness over the hips.

These same models, developed in the gayer colors, make enchanting dinner and dance frocks. Ruchings of taffeta, made of narrow strips frayed at the edges, covered cord, arranged in flat rosettes, flowers of silk and millinery, flowers and fruits adding their bit by way of enhancing the bright charm of taffeta in plain or changeable weaves.

May, as in January, the stores put on special displays of lingerie for the benefit of those who have put off buying their summertime under-

garments.

Spring Styles.

A distinctly Chinese tailleur hat is of black moire, colored with red matchsticks, and a black lace veil is draped over it. A youthful style of turban is made of black sand-colored wide-meshed net, covered with cutout flowers and peals of different shaded leatherette stitched on with hand embroidery.

Satin, Jersey and Flannel.

Satin, jersey and flannel—these fabrics apparently most antagonistic were gracefully combined in a gay

DAIRY FACTS

FEEDING COWS ON ROUGHAGE

Interesting Test Made With Mature Holstein Cow on Government Farm in Montana.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

What will a dairy-cow eat in the way of milk and butterfat production when fed on roughage exclusively? Perhaps the consensus of opinion is that she will not do very well, but the United States Department of Agriculture has some figures that show what a few cows did that were fed on alfalfa hay and corn silage, without grain.

A mature Holstein cow was pastured on irrigated tame grass at the department farm at Huntley, Mont. During the winter months she received nothing but corn silage and alfalfa hay. She was under test and was milked three times a day. For 140.5 days and 98 nights she was on pasture. During the rest of the year she consumed 0.014 pounds of alfalfa hay and 8,985 pounds of corn silage, a rather large amount of bulky feed. While this ration was fed the cow maintained her weight at practically what it was at the beginning of the test, and produced 14,210.1 pounds of milk and 476.24 pounds of butterfat.

For the 12 months following the next freshening this same cow was milked three times a day and given, in addition to roughage, all the grain she would eat. The surprising fact is that she ate 7,056 pounds of grain and practically the same amount of roughage as before. The actual quantities of roughage were 1,000 pounds of alfalfa hay, 8,325 pounds of silage and 4,220 pounds of feed. She was on pasture 130 days and, no nights. The milk production for the year was 25,499.4 pounds, and butterfat 823.11 pounds, and the gain in weight 200 pounds.

But notice the difference in the nutrients required to produce the product the first year and the second year, when 75 per cent more butterfat was produced. The first year, over and above maintenance and in addition to pasture, the cow consumed for each 100 pounds of butterfat 15.57 pounds of digestible protein and 558.60 pounds of total digestible nutrients, and for each 100 pounds of milk yielded she used 51.7 pounds of digestible protein and 184.8 pounds of total digestible nutrients.

The second year, when she received all the grain she would eat, she received above maintenance and in addition to pasture, in the production of 100 pounds of butterfat, 218.7 pounds of digestible protein and 101.4 pounds

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O. P. Schuman, Editor and Proprietor

THURSDAY, MAY 18, 1922.

LOCAL NEWS

Frank Bennett left Friday night for Eton Rapids to visit friends.

Wellington Batterson of Frederic was in the city Tuesday on business.

Mrs. S. D. Dunham and children are visiting relatives in Detroit.

Emmanuel Rasmussen left last night for Detroit to remain for the summer.

A son, John Frederick was born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lake of Gaylord, Sunday, May 14.

Miss Lourinda Sawyer of Waters is spending a few days here visiting her cousin Mrs. Harry Griffin.

Prescription carefully compounded.

Miss Edna Beezer of Detroit spent Sunday visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen.

Mrs. John C. Yahr and son Billy expect to leave this afternoon for Duluth, Minn., to spend ten days visiting relatives.

Mrs. Frank Bruckin and children arrived Saturday from Detroit for a visit with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Morency.

Lionel and Francis LaGrow joined their father, Alex LaGrow in Detroit the latter part of the week, going to seek employment.

Mrs. Lyle N. Mills arrived from Detroit Friday morning to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip G. Zalsman.

Mrs. Charles Francis left Tuesday to spend a few days visiting her sister Mrs. George Vincent of Atlanta.

John Benore, barber at the Cowell-Tonsorier-parlors, was called to his home in Bay City, Monday by the son of his father.

Panac is unquestionably the most widely talked of medicine in the world today, and those who once use it invariably buy it over and over again and tell their friends of the splendid results they have derived from its use.

Mr. Dallas H. Cox, the new pharmacist at the Central Drug Store who came to fill the place of Mr. Allen is nicely settled in quarters in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson on Park street. Mr. Allen will not return to Grayling.

Miss Janet Matson expects to leave Friday to visit friends in Flint and Detroit.

Mrs. Hilda Peterson of Detroit is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Peterson.

Nels Anderson and family moved today to Grand Rapids where the former expects to go into business.

W. H. Hill of the Agricultural Department of the Michigan Central Railroad company is in the city today. A carload of pulverized lime stone is being distributed to Crawford county farmers by Mr. Hill and County Agent R. D. Bailey.

Miss Olive Welch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Welch was united in marriage to Mr. Henry Wilson at the home of the bride's parents, Monday evening. Justice Emil Kraus tying the knot. The young couple have already gone to housekeeping in one of the Mrs. Mary Turner houses on the South Side.

The Grayling Fish Hatchery will finish planting five million brook trout the last of this month; it is the latest Hatchery in the State to plant brook trout. The Rainbow eggs are just beginning to hatch, and they expect to plant 600,000 rainbow fry. They have received one thousand Albino Brook Trout from the U. S. Fisheries at St. Paul. This is an experiment to see if these fish will live in these waters.

Mr. Geo. L. Jackson of the U. M. was in Grayling last week and made an official inspection of the Grayling schools. Among the many things he said was that of the fine school spirit that existed. Besides the school he was shown some of the many attractions about the city, among which were the military reservation, Fish hatchery, and not the least was a visit to the reindeer ranch. He seemed much impressed and says he intends to come again when he hopes to do some trout fishing.

LOVELLS.

Herman Rolshoven of Detroit is a guest at the North Branch Outing Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Johnson and children of Vanderbilt spent Sunday with relatives of Lovells.

Opal Smith spent a few days in Frederic last week. While there she wrote on the State 8th grade examination.

Mrs. Hannan, and Mr. and Mrs. Stillwagon called on Mrs. Terhune of Frederic Friday. Mrs. Terhune has been in very poor health for some time.

Clayton, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Budd was badly scalded Monday by pulling a kettle of hot water over on himself while playing around the house.

Margaret Douglas and Ruth Stillwagon were home for over Sunday, returning to their school duties in West Branch Monday morning.

Edgar Caid wrote on the eighth grade examination in Grayling Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Millet and children who have spent several months in Lovells with relatives motored to their home in Tiffin, Ohio.

Speaks and Brederick five ears with a party of four and five respectively have been enjoying the fishing on the North Branch for a few days.

Mr. Johnson spent Sunday with friends at Hardgrove.

Drs. Snyder, Keller, Monday, Wright, Simeon Douglas, Steinfeldt and Dauchler all of Toledo were guests this week at the North Branch Outing Club.

U. S. DECLINES BID TO HAGUE PARLEY

TURNS DOWN INVITATION OF ALLIES TO JOIN THEM IN NEW CONFERENCE.

RUSSIA "BONE OF CONTENTION"

Soviet Wants Representation on Equal Terms—Hughes Holds Reds Must First Readjust Selves.

Washington—The state department made public Monday night text of a message to Ambassador Child at Genoa, declining the invitation to participate in the new European economic conference at The Hague.

"This government," the American communication said, "is unable to conclude that it can helpfully participate in the meeting at The Hague as this would appear to be the continuation under a different nomenclature of the Genoa conference and destined to encounter the same difficulties if the attitude disclosed in the Russian memorandum of May 11 remains unchanged."

The inescapable and ultimate question the American note said, "would appear to be the restoration of productivity in Russia, the essential conditions of which are still to be secured and must in the nature of things be provided within Russia herself."

The state department's communication said the American government "had always been ready" to join other governments in arranging for an inquiry by experts into the economic situation in Russia and the necessary remedies.

Such an inquiry it was added, could deal appropriately "with the economic prerequisites" for restoration of Russian production without which a sound basis for credits "would be lacking."

In conclusion, the American communication renewed the offer to "give serious attention" to any proposals issuing from a Genoa conference or any later conference, but added that the suggestions for the meeting at The Hague in view of the Russian memorandum of May 11, lacked "the definiteness which would make possible the concurrence of this government in the proposed plan."

The Russian proposal of May 11, was for a mixed commission, including a commission from Russia to meet and discuss the internal affairs of Russia. Thus far the Allied statesmen have not seen fit to treat the Russians on equal terms.

ESCAPED CONVICTS APOLOGIZE

Send Receipt for Stolen Car to War dan So We Can Reclaim It.

MARQUETTE—James L. Deagon, steward of the Marquette State Branch Prison, believes now more than ever before that there is honor among thieves. When he opened his mail Monday he found the following letter from "Slippery Jim" Cushway, who with Leo Carney and Frank Howard, all trustees, stole Deagon's car Thursday day of last week and escaped:

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 14.

Dear Mr. Deagon:

We found it necessary for our purposes to take your car. Enclosed is a ticket with which you can get it back if you present it at the garage.

The name and address of the garage was on the ticket.

BRING YOUR HAMMER AND SAW.

On behalf of the Grayling City Base Ball Team, allow me to thank every good loyal sport of Grayling who has helped and donated

their work and material so far on the ball grounds. I would like to ask a few men that can handle a hammer and saw to come out to the park to donate their services for a couple of hours. Bring your saws and hammers.

Mike Brenner, Mgr.

BUICK FOUR, A WONDERFUL little car for the money, this car has never been abused in any way. This is a Studebaker year. Harry E. Simpson.

FOR SALE—COTTAGE AT LAKE Margrethe, also 16 passenger launch, at reasonable price. Inquire of Lon Collen, Grayling, tif.

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WANTS

Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No adv. taken for less than 25 words. There are about six words to the line. SEND MONEY WITH ORDER

FOR SALE—SEVEN ROOM HOUSE and 2 lots, near to all the mills. Pump in the house. Also a second-hand coal stove for sale. Inquire of Mrs. Alex LaGrow, phone 1102. 5-18-12.

FOR SALE—A VICTROLA, CABINET and 120 records. Also a wool carpet. Mrs. Wm. A. McNeal Cedar street. 5-18-2.

WANTED—GIRL OR WOMAN FOR general housework. Mrs. F. M. Freeland, Grayling. 5-18-2.

LOST—BABY'S WHITE SILK CAP near school house. Reward if returned to Mrs. Marcus Schaaf.

FOR SALE—1 BROWN LEATHER rocker, 1 dining table, 6 chairs, 1 heating stove, 1 leather couch, 1 iron bed. Mrs. J. W. Letzkus, Phone 762. 5-18-1.

FOR SALE—GASOLINE LAUNCH, in excellent condition. Price reasonable. Inquire of M. Hanson. 5-18-2.

FOR SALE—PURE-BRED HOLSTEIN-bull calf. A. F. Gierke. 5-11-2.

WANTED—GOOD PASTRY AND second cook. Apply at Shoppagone Inn, Grayling. Phone 87.

FARM TO LET—ON SHARES. Anyon desiring to operate farm on shares apply to Fred Belmont, Grayling, Mich. 5-4-3.

FOR SALE—160 ACRE FARM, Ogemaw county, fully stocked good barn and fair house to live in. Good water, spring creek runs thru farm. Terms made known upon application. Sixty acres under cultivation, balance good pasture. Special offer for quick sale. Inquire or address Avantairine Office, Grayling, Mich.

CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS ARE MILD AND GENTLE IN EFFECT.

The laxative effect of Chamberlain's Tablets is so mild and gentle that you can hardly realize that it has been produced by a medicine.

EXTRA EARLY SPRING RYE—Home grown for sale at N. Schjofz store. 5-4-4.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE TO work on farm, or single man and house-keeper. Joseph Charron.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—MY 1916 STUDEBAKER touring car. Good running condition. Good tires, battery etc. Write E. W. Behlike, care of Handy Bros., Bay City, Mich. 4-27-1.

APPERSON TOURING IN FIRST class condition. Good rubber and paint. Upholstery is A. No. 1. Recently overhauled. He bought a Studebaker. Harry E. Simpson.

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LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, MAY 18, 1922.

J. H. Wingard is driving a Ford Coupe.

George Miller is driving a new Ford touring car.

Miller Physician's grade rubber goods.

Central Drug Store.

Miss Verna Biggs returned Friday from a visit with friends in Grand Rapids and Bay City.

Our two Saturday specials this week are Dairy butter at 35¢ per lb. and White House coffee at 37¢ per lb.

Salling Hanson Co.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Abrahams of Frederic were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Landsberg Sunday.

Dairy butter at 35¢ per pound; White House coffee, 37¢ per pound, Saturday only. Salling Hanson Co.

The T. E. Douglas mill at Lovells is being gotten ready to start running. This is one of the best equipped shingle mills in Northern Michigan.

Charles Schreck motored to Gladwin yesterday after Mrs. Schreck and son LeRoy, who have been spending a couple of weeks visiting in Bay City, Pontiac and other places.

Governor Alex J. Grosbeck, in order that we may pay tribute of respect and affection to the surviving veterans of the Civil, Spanish-American and World wars, and to honor

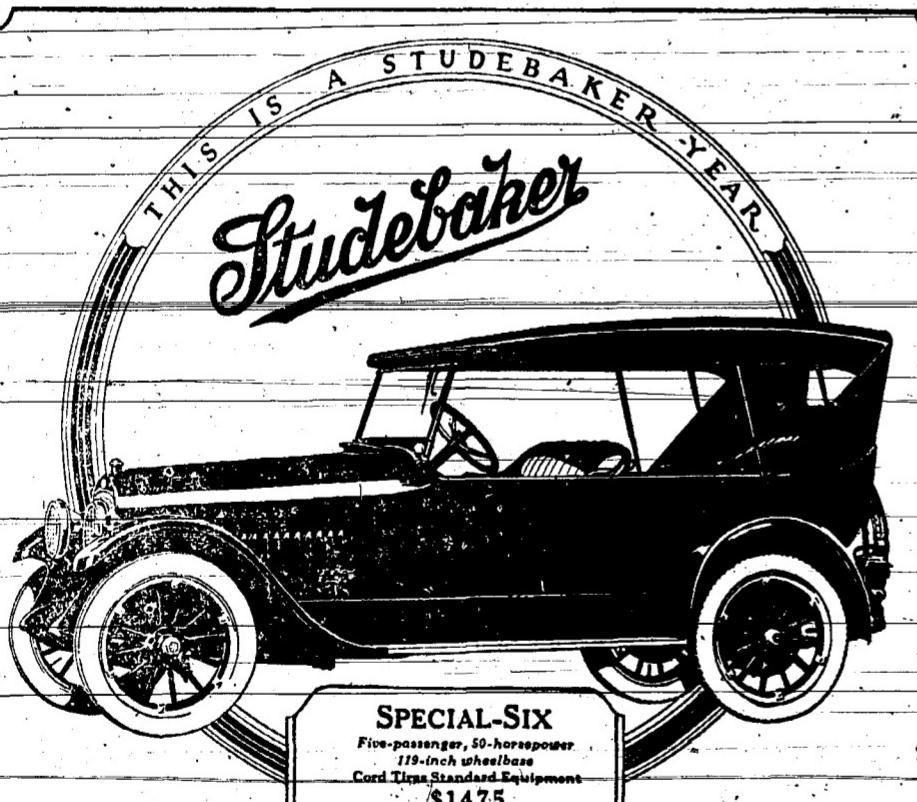
to the memory of their fallen comrades, proclaims Tuesday, the 30th of May to be fittingly observed as Memorial Day.

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Has his supply of ice for the coming season, and as in former years, will give you the best of service.

All Ice will be washed and placed in your Refrigerator.

Having served you for many years, we solicit a continuance of your patronage. Phone 1171.



The intrinsic value and enduring quality of the Special-Six have won for it the hearty endorsement of thousands of owners. It will win you, too, when you consider:

—its comfort—seat cushions of soft, genuine leather, nine inches deep; long semi-elliptic springs, front and rear. Seats five without crowding.

—its power—L-head motor, 3½ x 5, which develops 50 horsepower. Remarkable for its flexibility.

—its economy—low maintenance cost and infrequent repair shop attention.

—its beauty—body of harmonious lines built by Studebaker experts, with tailored top, which holds large plate glass rear window.

—its equipment—jeweled eight-day clock; one-piece, rainproof windshield with windshield wiper; tonneau light with extension cord; transmission lock which reduces rate of theft insurance to owner 15 to 20 per cent; one key locks tool compartment in left front door; ignition switch and transmission lock.

—its background—Studebaker's prestige and seventy years' experience in building quality vehicles assures complete satisfaction.

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HARRY E. SIMPSON GRAYLING, MICH.
Dealer for Crawford and Roscommon Counties

Writing paper at pre-war prices. Central Drug Store. Henry DeWeese and family of Roscommon called on Grayling friends Sunday.

White House Coffee, at 37¢ per pound at Salling Hanson Co. store Saturday only.

Mrs. Hazel Guist of Vanderbilt was in Grayling Tuesday visiting her mother, Mrs. B. A. Cooley.

We will have choice dairy butter Saturday for 35 cents per pound at the Salling Hanson Co. store.

The best of dairy butter can be bought for 35 cents per pound at Salling Hanson Co. store Saturday.

The local Earl dealer, Herlif Sorenson, was in Jackson Monday where he purchased two Earl cars for local customers.

Plant only tested seeds, it pays. Write F. J. Spencer, Lovells, Mich. He can supply you with the producing kind. See his advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

Thomas Nolan and daughter-in-law Mrs. John Nolan who spent about ten days here renewing acquaintances and visiting old friends, left Monday for their home in Lansing. They expected to stop at Bay City enroute to visit friends there.

Frank Lydell of Traverse City, a brother of Mrs. F. G. Zalsman, has purchased the Frank Shanahan home on Chestnut street. Mr. Lydell and family intend to make Grayling their future home; Mr. Lydell is employed in the Fish hatchery.

Harry W. Leach, of Detroit was in Lovells last week to make preparations for the opening of the Underhill club house for the season. Plans are being made to remodel this place and equip it with electric lights and an automatic water system.

Only six of about twenty-five members attended the meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion last Friday evening. Another meeting will be held on Friday evening, May 26, to make plans for Memorial Day. Kindly be present at this meeting.

Tuesday afternoon, the None Such "500" club were guests of Mrs. J. A. Holliday. The highest score was held by Mrs. Walter Nadieu and Mrs. A. R. Miller received the consolation prize. Miss Ambrose McClain was a guest of the club. Mrs. Holliday served a very nice lunch.

Mayor Canfield is driving a new

Earl sedan, purchased last week from Ola Sprensen & Sons. He went to Jackson Saturday to drive it home,

and was accompanied by Mrs. Canfield and Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport. The party stopped in Gladwin Sunday night to spend a couple of days and arrived home Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Shoemaker of Akron, Ohio, is at his club house on the North Branch known as the Akron club. He intends to remain for a short time.

The residence at the Ward farm on the North Branch of the AuSable near Lovells has been remodeled on the inside. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Soulard, recently of Newberry, are the new tenants.

To celebrate his ninth birthday, Clinton McNeven planned to treat about twenty boys and girls to a picnic lunch and marshmallow roast at the lake on Wednesday afternoon. On account of the rain he entertained them at his home and the marshmallows were roasted over candles. The little folks seemed very happy in spite of the rain.

Fresh Mac Diarmids candy every Saturday. Central Drug Store.

David Knuth is driving a new 1922 Ford touring car.

Miss Lucille McPhee has gone to Detroit to visit friends.

Isaac Gendron has returned from a visit with friends in Detroit.

Full new line of perfumes and Toilet goods. Central Drug Store.

Rasmus Hanson returned yesterday from a business trip to Bay City.

John Bruun left yesterday for Milwaukee, Wis., to drive back a Nash touring car.

Charles E. Fehr returned Sunday from St. Johns driving back a Hudson Super-6, he purchased while there.

Hon. W. B. Mershon and W. J. Huneker of Saginaw were in Grayling Tuesday on their way home from Lowell.

F. J. Spencer, and Jack Hannan of the Underhill club at Lovells made a business trip to Grayling first of the week.

Miss Beulah M. Ewing enjoyed having as her guests over Sunday, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ewing of Marion.

Mrs. C. M. Dowker entered Mercy Hospital yesterday to undergo a series of treatments, having been ill health for some time.

We will sell White House coffee, a favorite coffee in Grayling, for 37¢ per pound Saturday only. Salling Hanson Co.

The dancing party given by the City Base Ball team at the school gymnasium last Thursday night was much enjoyed by those who attended. Schram's orchestra played.

Miss Laura Thompson spent the week-end at her home in Twinning, and had as her guest Miss Helen Giegling. Misses Rose Gunville and Clara Mox were in Gaylord Saturday.

Harry E. Simpson and William J. Brennan left Sunday night for South Bend, Indiana, to drive back a couple of Studebaker autos, one of which is the possession of Mr. Brennan.

Mrs. Morrow, mother of A. W. Morrow, physical instructor in the Grayling schools, who has spent a number of weeks in Grayling returned Saturday to her home in Wisconsin.

Howard Schmidt, eleven years old, twin son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schmidt claims that he is some fisherman. Saturday he caught a 14½ inch rainbow in the East Branch of the AuSable.

Frank G. Walton of Bay City was in Grayling a few days last week visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. H. Keyport and Miss Anna Walton. He also called on many of his old friends while here.

An alarm of fire was sounded from District 8 Tuesday night but was found to be a false alarm. There was

a charivari in progress at the time and it is thought that some one turned it on a alarm to bring the crowd out.

Eugene Smith is going about on crutches, as the result of an injury to his left foot. He was working on a job of putting up a fence at the reindeer preserve, when an axe with which he was working slipped and cut his foot quite badly.

The Its. Suits Us. club spent a pleasant evening on Tuesday with Mrs. Max Landsberg. Mrs. P. P. Mahoney held the highest score for "500" and Mrs. Charles Fehr received the consolation prize. The guests were served a delicious lunch.

Kenneth and Keith Wheeler were hosts to a number of boys and girls last Saturday afternoon in honor of their birthday anniversaries, the former occurring in May and the latter in April. A jolly good time was had by the young guests. Mrs. Wheeler served delicious refreshments to the children.

A large delegation of people visited Mercy Hospital last Friday. Hospital Day, and partook of tea and delicious drop cakes and wafers that were served by the Hospital Aid society to those who came. The donations received by the Hospital were most liberal and in all the day was a success.

In the evening the Citizens Band rendered a concert on the spacious veranda of the Hospital and again a large crowd assembled. Ice cream was served during the evening.

The Bridge club enjoyed a splendidly appointed four course luncheon at Shoppington's Inn Saturday afternoon. This was the season's final party. During the season the total scores have been kept, the members holding the higher scores to be entertained by those holding the lower scores.

The affair on Saturday was

exceedingly pleasant and the winners felt they had been royally entertained.

Mrs. Marius Hanson and Mrs. A. M. Lewis held the highest score for the season and Mrs. M. Hanson and Mrs. Oscar Schumann won prizes for bridge at the luncheon.

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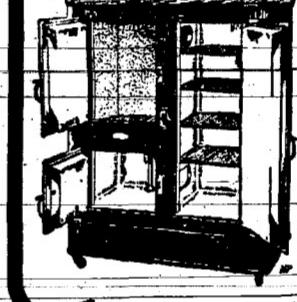
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Clearance of all Ladies' Hats—a genuine markdown on balance of Summer Hats.

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NOW is the time to buy that much-discussed refrigerator. Family health and household economy both require it. We have just what you want—your choice of many models at various prices. A good refrigerator will save your money and food. We are offering these refrigerators at thrifit prices. See the wonderful snowy-white

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Saves ice—prevents odors and taints. Let us show you these refrigerators today.

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Richelieu Rolled Oats, large pkg. each	23c	25c
Tomatoes, Michigan brand 2 cans	37c	18c
Jell-O, all flavors, 3 packages	29c	36c
Corn, Primo Evergreen, 2 cans	25c	25c
Peas, Primo Early June, 2 cans	25c	25c
Argo Corn Starch, 3 packages	25c	39c
Seedless Raisins package	23c	20c

Strawberries, Oranges, Bananas, Grape Fruit, Tomatoes, Celery, Asparagus, Cucumbers, Green Onions, Head Lettuce, Pineapples, Beets, Turnips, Butter Beans, New Potatoes, Carrots and Strawberry-Rhubarb

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Michigan Happenings

The mines of the Oliver Iron Mining Co. in Iron Mountain, Norway and Stambaugh resumed full time operations May 8, after being idle since last June except for part-time operations in the past two months. About 1,075 men in the district, including 550 at the Chapin mine here, 350 at the Aragon in Norway and 175 at the Merton in Stambaugh, were given work to wear the free man cap. Two men kidnapped by a group of young men said to be the vigilante committee, taken to Geddes dam, four miles east in the county, bound, gagged and hair cut. When his tormentors were through with him, they put a pillow case over his head, tied his hands and let him go. He managed to work himself loose from the pillow case, found a farm house some distance away and was directed back to Ann Arbor.

Dr. Clarence W. Green, formerly of Albion college and now president of Heddington Academy, Abingdon, Ill., resigned as president of Bayview Summer University and president of Bayview assembly of Bayview camp ground association of the Methodist Episcopal church, at a meeting of the board of trustees and educational committee at Petoskey. Dr. Hugh Kennedy, of Detroit, will direct assembly work this season, and Dr. Hempf, of Albion college, Bayview university.

Circuit Judge Vanderwerp, of Muskegon, ruled that the law providing that the owner of an automobile is liable for damages done by the vehicle when driven by any member of the family is constitutional and as a result a jury granted William N. Swartz, of Montague, \$2,300 damages. Ernest Smith, Sr., and his adult son, Ernest, are held liable. The suit grew out of injuries received when Smith's car, driven by young Smith, and a motor cycle on which Swartz was riding, collided.

That the accident was unavoidable and that there was no evidence of criminality on the part of any person, son, was the finding of the coroner's jury at Grand Rapids investigating the accident in which an automobile, driven by Theodore Powers, 19 years old, and John Miller, 6 years old, of Calvin college mounted a curb and fatally injured Ann Van Erk, 10, old, who was standing on the side walk.

John G. Stone, Houghton county attorney, was appointed judge of the twelfth judicial circuit, to succeed Patrick H. O'Brien, resigned by Governor Groesbeck. His father, the late Justice John W. Stone, of the state supreme court, was a former circuit judge in the same district which comprises Keweenaw, Houghton and Baraga counties.

Michigan's "Prohibition Navy" is in commission, with orders from Col. Roy C. Vandecrook, commissioner of the State Department of Public Safety, to patrol Detroit River for liquor smugglers and to chart the lanes and inlets the smugglers use in their journeys between the Canadian and American shores with contraband liquors.

Dr. Jesse H. Beckwith, prominent Flint dentist, clubman, and civic leader, was granted an absolute decree of divorce from his wife, Ann, by Judge E. D. Black, in circuit court. Dr. Beckwith, in his testimony named Wallace H. Willett, president and general manager of the Durant corporation of Muncie, Ind., as the "other man."

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It is expected a number of Adventists living in and near Utsego, will only of dealers in spoiled preserved foods, but has enlisted the aid of the federal government to end the practice of sending spoiled food from Michigan into adjoining states, to have it distributed, and returned here for sale.

Ralph O. Tucker, fruit and vegetable dealer of Grand Rapids, before fled at the freight rate hearing before the public utilities commission, that response to the urgent appeal made the upper peninsula fruit and vegetable wholesale business has been taken up largely by Milwaukee and Chicago because of the high freight rates in Michigan.

Commencement exercises in the University of Michigan will mark the presentation of diplomas to about 1,500 students, the secretary's office reports, commencement to take place in Hill auditorium June 19.

Henderson Bailey, a former slave, 75 years old, is dead. He came to Kalmar, immediately after he was freed by Lincoln's emancipation proclamation. His master's young daughter taught him to read and write.

Sale of stock in the Detroit Rapid Transit Co. was stopped by the Michigan Public Utilities Commission following a hearing on the company's financial status.

Confiscated wine and whisky worth \$2,200 was poured into a sewer by Sheriff Frank Gessner at Monroe. Two trustees from the county jail aided him in the work. Bungs few 100 feet in the air when casks were rolled on the court house walks and scores of persons gathered to watch the work.

Jay Croninger, 35 years old, known as the "horror radish king," was found drowned in a creek near Sparta. The stream is only a foot deep and it is believed Croninger fell in a faint.

The state utility commission has authorized the merger of the Citizens' Telephone Co. holdings in Grand Rapids with the Michigan State Co. lines. The Citizens' stockholders to get American Telegraph and Telephone stock at par for their holdings to the amount of \$3,000,000.

A bundle of newspapers is believed to have saved the life of Austin Berry, Cadillac newsboy, when the papers broke the force of his fall as a bicycle on which he was riding was struck by an automobile.

SHOALS OFFERS STILL COMING IN

NEBRASKA SENATOR PROPOSES FEDERAL CORPORATION TO OPERATE PROJECTS.

BALTIMORE MAN SUBMITS BID

Engineer Asks Committee to Consider Proposal For 60-40 Split in Profits From Operation.

Washington—Four developments in congressional consideration consideration of proposals for developing the Muscle Shoals projects have come up in the Senate agriculture and house military committees and in the Senate.

Chairman Norris, Nebraskas, of the Senate committee, introduced a bill providing for a semi-government corporation to take over and operate the nitrate and power projects for 50 years. The measure was drafted as a modification of the bill recently introduced by Senator Norris.

The senator also made public a proposal received from L. Stern, a Baltimore Md., consulting engineer and manufacturer of chemical products. Mr. Stern's letter requested the committee to hear him at his convenience and said the formal tender would be made later, the committee deciding informally to accede to the request.

The tentative offer of Mr. Stern provided for the operation of the projects for 25 or 30 years or until suitable number of years. It further stated that all expenses incurred by the government at Muscle Shoals would be repaid at 2 per cent annually and contained a provision by which the government would receive 60 per cent of all net profit made during the operation, with the lesser retaining 40 per cent.

In the house committee an agreement was reached by which any lessee of the properties would be compelled to manufacture finished fertilizers whether at a profit or loss. An amendment to this effect was made to the bill the committee is formulating for the house in connection with its report on the proposition. It has investigated as United States consul, has been sent to jail for six months.

Wide differences of opinion are understood to prevail in the committee

over provisions of the offer made by Henry Ford.

DETROIT—Helen Joy Lee, daughter of Henry B. Lee, multi-millionaire auto manufacturer, won her divorce and the custody of her three children without contest on the part of her husband Howard B. Lee.

Lee was granted permission to visit his children at their mother's Grosse Pointe Farms home for two and one-half hours on each of three afternoons a month. Mrs. Lee's title to the Grosse Pointe Farms place is confirmed by the decree in lieu of all her dower rights. She did not ask for alimony.

The eruption came without warning, and continued 20 minutes.

Husband Says He's Sorry When Reconciliation Follows Collapse.

HUDSON HEIRESS GETS MOVIE HERO. Los Angeles—Word has been received here from New York that Richard Hudnut, perfume manufacturer, has announced there the engagement of his daughter Winifred; an art director, known professionally as Natacha Rambova, to Rudolph Valentino motion picture actor of Los Angeles.

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Feed and Grain.

WHEAT—Cash and Mai. No. 2 red

No. 2 white and No. 2 milled

\$1.37.

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WHITE OATS—Cash No. 2, 44c; No.

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